

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: RUDOLF CHRISTL  
SERIAL NO.: 10/577,244  
FILED: April 5, 2006  
FOR: APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING SHEET  
MATERIAL

CONFIRMATION NO. 2474  
GROUP ART UNIT: 3653  
EXAMINER: David Bollinger  
ATTY. REFERENCE: CHRI3003/JJC

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

*Sir,*

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month | <input type="checkbox"/> Three Months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Months           | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Months          |                                       |

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 130.00.

- ☒ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200.
- ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

Also enclosed is a:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Response | <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal | <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Brief |
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*Respectfully submitted,*



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